

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (original): A magnetostatic wave device comprising a magnetic layer, having first and second end surfaces, made of a magnetostatic wave material, wherein

a magnetostatic wave propagates between said first end surface and said second end surface in said magnetic layer, and

said second end surface has a first part having a first interval with respect to said first end surface and a second part having a second interval different from said first interval with respect to said first end surface.

Claim 2 (original): The magnetostatic wave device according to claim 1, wherein

said first part includes a first end surface part arranged in parallel with said first end surface at said first interval, and

said second part includes a second end surface part arranged in parallel with said first end surface at said second interval.

Claim 3 (original): The magnetostatic wave device according to claim 1, being a resonator resonating said magnetostatic wave between said first and second end surfaces.

Claim 4 (original): The magnetostatic wave device according to claim 1, wherein said magnetic layer includes first and second magnetic layers arranged at a prescribed interval in a direction intersecting with said first and second end surfaces.

Claim 5 (original): The magnetostatic wave device according to claim 4, further comprising an input line arranged on one of said first and second magnetic layers and an output line arranged on the other one of said first and second magnetic layers.

Claim 6 (original): A magnetostatic wave device comprising a magnetic layer, having first and second end surfaces, made of a magnetostatic wave material in which a magnetostatic wave propagates, wherein

said magnetic layer is separated into a plurality of magnetic layers by at least one groove formed between said first and second end surfaces, and said groove has a stepwise section having at least one step.

Claim 7 (previously presented): The magnetostatic wave device according to claim 6, wherein

a sectional shape of said groove is deepest at the center of said groove and said sectional shape is mirror-symmetrical.

Claim 8 (original): The magnetostatic wave device according to claim 6, wherein

said groove is formed by machining.

Claims 9-22 (canceled).

Claim 23 (new): The magnetostatic wave device as recited in claim 1, wherein the magnetostatic wave has a wavelength twice each of the first and second intervals.